CLASSIFIED ADS

FOR RENT

For Rent: 4 room house, hot and cold water in kitchen, poultry house, garden, pasture and wood. 4 miles from Appomattox. Can be seen Saturday. Inquire at Russell Woodson's Service Station.
(11-21-3tc)

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Berkshire Pigs For Sale. Also: Gibson Guitar.
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(tf)

For Sale: Lot and building on Highway 460 near Appomattox Garment Co. Over 100-foot frontage on Route 460.
Contact: A. R. Bibb,
Appomattox, Va., Phone: 4152.
(4-4-tfc)

For Sale: Two ladies grey winter coat, size 12. One ladies green winter suit, size 14½. Phone 3036, or see Mrs. W. H. Conner.
(11tp)

New Quilts For Sale. $5.00 each. See: Mrs. R. A. Gowin, or call 3026, Appomattox, Va.
(11tc)

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or call 2069, Appomattox, Va.
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CARD OF THANKS

CARD OF THANKS
We wish to thank each and every one who were so kind to us while we were sick.
Jesse Jr. and Virginia
Lee Franklin.
(11tp)

CARD OF THANKS
The family of Mrs. Susie M. Perdue wishes to express their most heartfelt gratitude for all the deeds of kindness shown them during the illness and death of their loved one.
The Perdue Family.
(11tp)

CARD OF THANKS
I wish to express my appreciation for the many kindnesses shown me during my recent stay in the hospital and since my return home. Also for the flowers, cards and visits.
Mrs. L. E. Smith.
(11tc)

HELP WANTED

GOOD OPENING in Appomattox County. Full time business selling Rawleigh Household Products. Start at once. Must have car. Get more particulars. Rawleigh's Dept. VA-510-208, Richmond, Va.
(10-10; 11tc- to 12-26)

Waitress Wanted: Experience not essential but preferred. Please apply or phone Snack Bar or Parkway Restaurant. Ask for Paul Thompson.
(1tc)

Deadline for copy for the Classified Page, is 12:00 noon on each Wednesday. Please have your copy in by that time.
(3-15-tf)

CARD OF THANKS

The Appomattox County Junior Chamber of Commerce would like to take this opportunity to thank the people of Appomattox for the support they gave to the Country Music Contest. Thanks to Congressman W. M. Abbitt for a fine job as M. C.; to Mr. Oscar Rutledge and Mr. E. T. Mitchell, who helped the entry committee, to all the contestants, who did a good job, and to the judges, Mr. J. H. O'Brien, Mr. Elon Johnson and Mrs. J. K. Hamilton. Thanks also to the many business places that contributed prizes for the contestants and audience.
Appomattox Hardware Co., Poe Hardware Co., Highway Ser. Sta. Seay Bro., Webb's Esso, W. G. Haley's Grocery Store, Beasley Texaco Ser. Sta., Conner's Ser. Sta. (Jim), Jennings Corner Grocery, Rutledge Shoe Shop, Marshall's Dept. Store, Coleman Feed and Seed Store, Simpson Food Market, J. E. Sears and Co., Moses Motor Co., Grinels Motor Co., H. Y. Spencer Drug Store, Averett's Dept. Store, Paul Thompson's Snack Bar, R. B. Boney, Wilkes Jewelers, A. G. Gaines Jewelers, J. T. Almond Grocery Store, Bob Haley's Grocery Store, Jessie Guill's White Coach Diner, Bob Steppe Appomattox Service Center, Parkway Service Sta. Marvin House, Parkway Sandwich Shop, Eddie Moore; LeGrande Gulf Station, Ned LeGrande; Maud's Hot Shop, Caldwell Texaco, Eddie Guill's Esso, Frank Chandler's Barber Shop, Hunter Dickerson's Barber Shop, William's Food Store, Babcock's Store, Hudson's Esso Service, Appomattox Auto and T. V. Supply, T. T. Martin, Buchanan's Barber Shop, Western Auto Store, J. E. Jamerson & Sons, Appomattox Garment Co., Virginia Novelty Co., Wootten Milling Co.
The profit realized from the contest which amounted to $200.00 will be used to finance the Jaycee Christmas Goodwill Projects, in the hope that it will make a brighter Christmas for some Appomattox County residents.
(11tc)

IN MEMORIAM

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In memory of Mrs. Mary Fore, who died 12 years ago, November 30, 1945.

I seem to see in the soft dim light
A face I loved the best.
And think of her when the sun's last ray
Goes down in the far-off west.
I miss you no less as time passes on,
Than I did on the day of your death.
For absence can never close the door of my heart,
And the lamp of my love is still glowing.
Mrs. Vernie Jones.

IN MEMORIAM
In sad but loving remembrance of my mother, and our grandmother, Mrs. Oscar Carey, who departed this life three years ago, Nov. 27, 1954.

Gone is the face we loved so dear,
Silent is the voice we loved to hear.
Too far away for sight or speech,
But not too far for thought to reach.

—Sadly missed by her
Children and Grandchildren.
(11tp)

NOTICE

WELL DRILLING
We have complete equipment for drilling wells and installing pumps. Can give you prompt service, anywhere in this area. Call Appomattox 3452, or write or see:
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Rustburg, Va. Phone Rustburg EDgewood 2-4931.
Rustburg Well Drilling Service
Rustburg, Virginia.
(6-27-tfc)

NOTICE
The Town of Appomattox invites bids for the property known as the Old Town Dump. This property consists of three acres of land, with 20-foot right of way to public road, same located just north of the town corporate limits. Sealed bids for this property will be received on or before December 14, 1957. Bids will be opened December 16, 1957. The Town reserves the right to reject any or all bids. For further information, apply to C. J. Hunter, Town Manager.
Town of Appomattox.
(11-21-2tc)

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SPECIAL NOTICE

POSTED: The Worley Farm at Spout Springs is posted land. Hunters and trespassers "day or night" will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law. Also keep your dogs off of this property.
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The Polio fund sets $44,900,000 as its 1958 goal.

Missile - launching platforms in the sky are being planned for the use of the North Atlantic Treaty Organization.

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Business decline is seen extended to mid-1958.

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Exotic Essence Of Our Kitchens From Everywhere

WASHINGTON — Tucked away on a shelf in nearly every American kitchen is an exotic essence of geography.

It's contained in the familiar small tins of spices. Cloves from Zanzibar and cinnamon from Ceylon, along with the fragrant seeds, buds, leaves, berries, roots, and bark of many plants have been objects of quest since ancient times.

Spices, above all other edible substances, have helped shape the fortunes of the world. Spices have been valued above gold and used as currency. Throughout most of recorded history, spices have not only been essential to preserve and give zest to bad food; they have been needed for incense, embalming preparations, and ointments.

No longer are spices so vital to health and comfort, but they remain a valuable commodity in world trade. In the United States, where their use in cookery has sharply declined during the past decade, spices constitute a $150,000,000-a-year business.

Almost every nation contributes to American spice shelves. Excluding allspice, a product of the West Indies pimento tree, most true spices such as pepper, cassia, cinnamon, ginger, nutmeg, mace, cloves, saffron, and turmeric come from the traditional spice lands—India, Ceylon, Malaya, Indonesia, Indochina, China, and Japan.

Early Whale Port Notes Anniversary

WASHINGTON — Sag Harbor, one of America's busiest whaling ports a hundred years ago and currently one of its most picturesque seaside towns, is celebrating its 250th birthday this year.

Heyday of the village, now a popular summer resort and home of light industry, was the mid-1800's. Then the Harbor, a hundred miles east of New York City on Gardiner's Bay and the fishtail" of Long Island, was alive with activity.

Whalemen manned the village streets. The waterfront was crowded with high-masted ships returning with whale oil or waiting to be outfitted for voyages that sometimes lasted four years.

The year 1847 was Sag Harbor's busiest. Thirty-two ships brought home 805,000 pounds of bone and 56,000 barrels of oil valued at more than a million dollars.

Discovery of rich Pennsylvania and the doom of the whalebone corset as an item of feminine apparel put an end to the whaling industry. The last whaler, the Myra, cleared Sag Harbor in 1871 and never returned. She was condemned and her cargo taken over by another ship. Her catch was valued at $32,000.

Produce Counter Big Stop for Shoppers

NEW YORK — The produce counter continues to be one of the most important stops on the American food shopper's list.

In 1956, the average person in this country consumed about 320 pounds (retail weight) of fresh fruits and vegetables, which is equal to more than a fifth of the entire food poundage used. Consumers continued to buy two pounds of the "fresh" for every one pound of processed (canned, frozen or dried) fruits and vegetables, the produce group reported.

Nowadays, a produce department will handle as many as 100 different fresh fruits and vegetables during the year. If only the most important commercial types are included, the U. S. market sees about 285 different varieties of these foods. Actually, there are 7,000 named varieties of apples; 6,000 to 8,000 varieties of grapes; over 2,000 varieties of peaches; thousands of varieties of plums, scores of different potatoes and so on. However, only a relatively small number are commercially important.

Time-Buying Need Not Mean Going in Debt

NEW YORK—"Buying on time need not mean going into debt, says a spokesman for American Finance Conference, national association of independent sales finance companies.

He points out that when a man pays $1,000 down on a $3,000 auto, he has actually acquired a capital asset rather than a $2,000 debt, since sale of the car would not only wipe out the unpaid balance but would give a cash balance.

Uncle Sam's Land

The United States government rents over 1.6 million acres, which is equal to one-half the size of Connecticut. In addition, the Federal Government owns 774.6 million acres.

Colored Dots

A large crowd attended the regular preaching services at the Promise Land Baptist Church Sunday. The pastor delivered a special message from the subject: The Thanksgiving Spirit. All present enjoyed the message. The church choir rendered special music. The offering was very good. An after-offering for Hayes Day was lifted. A few visitors attended the service.

An appreciative crowd attended the evening service at the Mount Shiloh Baptist Church Sunday evening at 7:30.

Impressive services were held at the First Baptist Church last Sunday. The guest minister was Rev. Garland Thompson, of Lynchburg.

The religious picture, "The Life of Paul," was presented at the First Baptist Church Sunday evening. Mrs. T. W. Hamlet was sponsor. Professor E. T. Johnson operated the machine.

The public is invited to attend the regular preaching services at the Galilee Baptist Church this Sunday at 11:30 A. M.

Mrs. Anna B. Hancock died at the home of her daughter in Lynchburg early Sunday morning. She was 87 years old. She was a member of Promise Land Baptist Church. Funeral services were conducted by her pastor Wednesday at 3:15.

A large crowd attended the annual Harvest at the Carver-Price High School last Monday night. The highlight of the festival was the crowning of the elementary and high school queens by Principal R. E. Patrick. The queens this year were daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Al Walker Johnson. The sister queens represented their classes in reporting the largest amounts of money, Miss Yvonne Johnson, of the seventh grade under Mrs. Theda Harris reported $51.00, and Miss Mildred Johnson, of the eighth grade, under the direction of Mrs. O. W. Smith reported $75.00. Prizes were presented to the queens from each class in the elementary department and each class and high school department. The following teachers had charge of the harvest festival: Mrs. Mary Elizabeth Johnson, chairman; Mrs. Mimi Johnson and Mrs. Ruth Beasley assisted the committee. A number of local people attend the Morgan - Football game in Bakersville Thanksgiving Day.

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Father Darkleaf

by c. h. r.

[illegible] Drinkard, driver of a [illegible]dgare company oil truck, [illegible] a bit of time recently [illegible]ver. He had no luck. But [illegible] night, about 6:00 o'clock, [illegible]ng the oil truck, an eight [illegible]ed ran out in front of the [illegible]d was killed. There was [illegible]ge to the truck, and now [illegible]s his deer. The incident [illegible] near the farm of Flem[illegible]ner, near Stonevall.

[illegible]bird, Bro. Louie E. Dicker[illegible]Pamplin Route 1, was in to [illegible]s satisfaction with sale of [illegible]ed tobacco at Farmville [illegible]a Leola did not have a very [illegible]ecent, but he came up with [illegible]ood, and averaged better [illegible]cents per pound. He was [illegible]o report the fine service of [illegible]d Watkins at his Farmville [illegible].

[illegible]gratulations to Miss Maggie [illegible]ne 91st birthday. An item [illegible]ernoon appears in the Hix[illegible] today.

[illegible]end of ours has ordered an [illegible] Wimer McLean picture [illegible]m an antique shop, Charles[illegible]C, and we're anxious to see [illegible]ppened to spot the item in [illegible]offerings from this shop in [illegible]gazine.

[illegible]of the many evidences that [illegible] Safety Patrol There are 13 boys [illegible]n the past year or so of [illegible]rol boxes at the local of[illegible]ere are only a handful or [illegible]many holders of lock box[illegible]ve years back.

[illegible]practice of hanging one's [illegible]Christmas Eve has about [illegible]e perhaps for several reasons [illegible]st of all, not too many kids [illegible]stockings to hang. And the [illegible]f homes with fireplaces and [illegible]ge mantle is on the wane. [illegible], most kids nowadays [illegible]e appeased with what [illegible]e found in the stockings [illegible]mas morning; they would [illegible]ess than an apple, an [illegible]ame Brazil nuts and a few [illegible]nd some hard candy!

[illegible]rd is out that Santa Claus [illegible]rotund to arrive in Appo[illegible]Friday evening, Dec. 13.

[illegible]t just observed my 26th [illegible]anniversary a few weeks [illegible]m about to turn the figure [illegible]and observe a birthday [illegible]mber 21.

ONE-ACT PLAYS

STONEWALL SAT. NIGHT

[illegible]ne-act plays will be pre[illegible]at the Stonewall Community [illegible]n Saturday night, Dec. [illegible]o'clock, by the Young Adult [illegible]of the Bethel Methodist [illegible]Proceeds will go for church [illegible]ment.

MENTARY SCHOOL

TERIA MENU

[illegible]y: Tuna fish salad with [illegible]mbled yams, green peas, [illegible]cookies, pt. milk.

[illegible]ay: Hamburger on bun, lima [illegible]ttery greens, chocolate [illegible]ced, whip topping, 1-2 pt. [illegible].

[illegible]ed: Hot dog on roll with [illegible]ato slaw, baked beans, [illegible]1-2 pt.

[illegible]ur: Vegetable stew with [illegible]ato chips, 1-2 pimiento [illegible]sandwich, cookies, 1-2 pt. [illegible].

[illegible]ri: Chili con carne, string [illegible]alad potatoes with butter, [illegible]bread, jello, 1-2 pt. milk.

[illegible]NGHAM H. S.

[illegible]ING CHRISTMAS

[illegible]AM OF MUSIC

[illegible]ningham Central High [illegible]ll present a program of [illegible]e Christmas Operetta, to [illegible]ld during the holidays.

[illegible] Legion Auxiliary

[illegible]erican Legion Auxiliary [illegible] Monday evening, Dec. 9, [illegible]ffield, with Mrs. Shearer [illegible]ess.

[illegible]nt is a growing town.

Abbitt Is Honored by National 4-H Clubs

Chicago, Ill.- Dec. 4.- U. S. Congressman Watkins M. Abbitt, from Appomattox County, Va., was named one of eight national winners in the 4-H alumni recognition program at the National 4-H Club Congress here today.

A member of Congress since 1948, and before that commonwealth attorney for Appomattox County, he is a former 4-H Club member, and has shown a continuing interest in the program. In the four years he was a 4-H'er, he conducted poultry as his project, and was one of the first in the area to begin using recommended practices. He was the first president of the Appomattox County 4-H Clubs.

In their recommendation of him for the national 4-H recognition, Virginia 4-H officials pointed out that: "He is most alert to the needs of rural people and is responsive to the needs of the nation. Legislation affecting many areas of interest has received his support and attention.

"He has participated in and given freely of his time to 4-H events . . . He looks forward each year to the National 4-H Conference in Washington, and escorts the Virginia delegation to the House of Representatives, the Senate, and other points of interest, and explains in detail the processes of the government. He advocates membership in 4-H Clubs and feels that the training received is beneficial to the development of an appreciation of citizenship responsibilities."

Several Virginians have received national recognition here this week. They include: Janet Lee Cofer and Vivian Spradlin, both of Bedford County, who received $400 college scholarships in the canning and garden contests, respectively; Joan Gooding, winner of the 4-H Congress trip in home beautification; David C. Johnson, Prince William, $400 scholarship, entomology; David Birdsall, Gloucester, national forestry winner of the congress trip; and Ann Hensel, Augusta, $400 scholarship, home improvement. Dr. W. E. Skelton, state 4-H agent at VPI, says one state's share on a pro-rata basis, would be about three. . .

The Virginia delegation, consisting of 17 club members and several adult leaders, will leave here en route home Friday morning.

. . . . Rep. Watkins M. Abbitt

Band Concert Next Thursday

The Appomattox County Band will present its first concert of the 1957-58 session on Thursday, Dec. 12, at the Appomattox Elementary School, beginning promptly at 8:00 P. M. The program will be divided into two sections, a Beginners Band program, and Advanced Band program. Some of the numbers to be played are: Finlandia, taken from The Patriots Prayer by Sibelius; Landslighting, a descriptive composition by Edvard Grieg; Cast Thy Burden Upon the Lord, from Elijah by Mendelssohn; My Bonnie in Shanghai, Bachtel; also the well-known Sousa Marches; and excerpts from the Classical Numbers.

Blending the concert with the Christmas season the band will also play selections of Christmas carols. Miss Gray Holland will play two accordion numbers. Twirling for the concert will be Becky Barger, Lina Trent and Gray Holland and Patsy Jamerson. There will be a number by the Little Twirlers, directed by Lina Trent. Two of the program numbers will be directed by the band president, Arnold Whitehead, and the student director, Wesley Carr.

Those taking part in the concert:

Clarinets: Moses Dinkins, Wanda Morris, Sarah Adams, Donald Gurley, Tom Ashworth, Sandra Staten, Virginia Ferguson, Sarah Wayne, Dan Herrecall, Lina Trent, James Saunders, Vicki Smith, Susan Jennings, Elaine Carter, Charles Doss.

Trumpets: Harold Lee Burkey, Jerry Harvey, Patsy Guill, Sandra Pillow, J. C. Davis Jr., Calvin Martin, Floyd Williams, Dicki Williams, James Gurney, Warren Mays, Tom Patterson, Marlene Barger.

Trombones: Walter Hunter, Randy Almond, Sammy Inge, Patsy Jamerson, Jerry Martin, Fred Wingfield, Calvin Ferguson, Dickie Morris, Lawrence Johnson.

French Horns: Mildred Farnklin, Gloria Deos.

Alto Horns: Jan Sykes, Nancy Jo Kidd.

Tenor Saxaphones: Arnold Whitehead, Becky Barger, Moses Dinkins.

Alto Saxaphones: Wesley Carr, Carolyn Childers.

Bass Clarinet: Barbara Ragland.

Flute: Louise Crowder.

Sousaphones (bass): Jimmy Price and Jerry Martin.

Cymbals: Tom Mathews.

Drums: Gerald Ferrell, H. T. Wood, Dennis Davis, Jim Torrence, Dan Hernecall, George Bergdoll, Fred Johnson, Bill Allen Burke, Larry Harvey, Bobby Williams, Carol Goodrich, Joyce Tolly, and Randy Canada.

Baritone Horn: Russell Millner, Joyce Moon.

Longwood College Dance Club To Give a Program for the Appomattox Woman's Club

Monday afternoon, December 9, at 3:15 o'clock, The Orchesis Club of Longwood College will entertain The Woman's Club and guests which include the High School Senior Class and the Ballet and Tap Dance classes.

Orchesis is directed by Mrs. Emily K. Landrum and has given outstanding performances at Longwood and other colleges.

Hostesses for the meeting will be Mrs. F. F. Carr, Miss Mary Rives Black, Mrs. Malcolm Booker, Mrs. David Randolph Caldwell, Mrs. Frances Cheatham, and Mrs. John A. Crafton.

A Reminder!!

This is the meeting to which members are to bring packages for families to be remembered at Christmas.

Safety Patrol Is Expanded

One of the most successful projects at the elementary school is the Safety Patrol There are 13 boys, one for each bus. Each one holds the number of the bus, which is painted on a board, so that pupils may see where to line up for the proper bus. There are six hall patrols, one bicycle patrol, one patrol at entrance to the school grounds. And each patrol has a substitute.

The following boys and girls are now serving as patrols:

James Whitehead, Jean Cyrus, Allen Conner, Doris Bass, Raiford Fleshman, Betty Watson, Buddy Wilcox, Joan Crowder, Irby King, Juanita Harris, Alice Martin, Hazel Fields, Bill Allen Burke, Tye Mabley, Barbara Carter, Joyce Ferguson, Freddie Grishaw, Judith Cox, Mary Ann Franklin, Carolyn Hash, Sue Tucker, Thomas Pankey, Helen Mann, Steve Godsey, Danny Moon, Patricia Jones, Suzanne Gills, Brenda Nash, Marlene Barger, Blaine Carter, Maggie Ferguson, Carson Crawley, Geraldine Ayers, Eric Wilkins, Freddie Carter, Joe Terry, and Sharon Moses.

The safety program at the elementary school is sponsored by the Jaycees, Lloyd M. Bryant is chairman of the Jaycee Committee. He announces that this activity is being stepped up, with the latest activity a Safety Doll project for the first and second grades. The program is being extended to the Vera, Oakville and Spout Spring schools, and 16 new Safety belts have just arrived for the patrols.

Fire Cured Variety Sale

The fire-cured tobacco grown in the five principal counties will be on display and sold, Friday, December 13th, at the Old Warehouse in Farmville. All growers are invited to attend this sale, examine the tobacco and discuss the varieties with Experiment Station and Extension Service personnel.

Six varieties will be on display: (1) Lizard Oil Orinoco; (2) Brown Leaf; (3) Virginia 3-12; (4) Walker's Broad Leaf; (5) Hastings, and (6) Virginia 6321 (this is an experimental breeding line which carries resistance to blackshank).

In addition to the tobacco, there will be a display of products manufactured from fire-cured tobacco and for interested farmers, a tour of a re-drying plant.

MEETING ON FHA LOANS

A discussion on FHA loans will be held in the Board Room at the Bank of Appomattox on Tuesday, December 10, at 1:30 P. M. The purpose of this discussion is to explain the objectives of the Farmers Home Administration.

ONE WAY TO DO IT

Long Beach, Calif.- Explaining that he had become tired of waiting for a bus, Raymond D. Welke, 21, told police he walked to a nearby depot and helped himself to one. They pursued him for two miles before overtaking him.

W. S. TAYLOR RECEIVES WEATHER BUREAU PIN

The U. S. Weather Bureau has presented a bronze Length of Service Award to Mr. William S. Taylor, Appomattox, Va., as a token of appreciation for having completed twenty years of service as a U. S. Weather Bureau Cooperative Weather observer. The award is in the form of a lapel button with the number of years' service shown in figures immediately below the seal of the Department of Commerce.

Mr. Taylor also furnishes special weather reports to the Weather Bureau Airport Station, Richmond.

Basketball Schedule Is Announced

The Appomattox Blue Hornets will open their 1957-58 basketball season Friday night, when they travel to Virginia Episcopal School to play a junior varsity and varsity boys game. Coach Gordon Bragg has practically the same team as last year and with added experience the team should improve over the record last season of 12 won and 8 lost. The team has been practicing for three weeks and appears to be in good shape to start the season.

The following boys are on the team: forwards Karl Carter, Joey George, Sandy Burks, Raymond Ferguson, Jack Tibbs; centers Cecil Doss, Randy Almond; guards Leon Edmonds, Freddie Mitchell, Raymond Massie, Sidney Conner and Carroll Ferguson. There are 8 juniors, two seniors and two sophomores on the team.

The A. H. S. girls' team will be composed of the following players: Rachel Austin, Betty Baldwin, Sandra Blythe, Anne Cunningham, Jane Catlett, Joella Ferguson, Barbara Gilliam, Diane Harvey, Louella Martin, Ann Martin, Stella Rosser, Eloise Rosser, Frances Sanders and Patsy Tolley.

The Schedule

Dec. 6: V. E. S., there, JV and varsity, 7:00 P. M.
Dec. 10: Gretna, here, girls and boys, 7:30 P. M.
Dec. 13: Brosville, here, girls and boys, 7:30 P. M.
Dec. 17: Brookville, here, girls and boys, 7:30 P. M.
Dec. 20: New London, there, girls and boys, 7:30 P. M.
Jan. 3: Nelson County, here, girls and boys, 7:30 P. M.
Jan. 7: Amherst County, here, girls and boys, 7:30 P. M.
Jan. 13: Randolph-Henry, there, J. V. and varsity, 7:30 P. M.
Jan. 17: Brookville, there, girls and boys, 7:30 P. M.
Jan. 21: Rustburg, there, girls and boys, 7:30 P. M.
Jan. 24: New London, here, girls and boys, 7:30 P. M.
Jan. 28: William Campbell, there, girls and boys, 7:30 P. M.
Feb. 5: Alumni, here, JV and varsity, 7:30 P. M.
Feb. 7: Gretna, there, girls and boys, 7:30 P. M.
Feb. 11: Rustburg, here, girls and boys, 7:30 P. M.
Feb. 14: Nelson County, there, girls and boys, 7:30 P. M.
Feb. 18: William Campbell, here, girls and boys, 7:30 P. M.
Feb. 21: Amherst County, there, girls and boys, 7:30 P. M.

United Air Lines orders twenty-one jets.

A national decline is reported in Asian flu.

Seek Donors For Bloodmobile

Our readers are being reminded of the special plea for blood donors on Monday, December 16. To successfully meet the county goal of 70 pints, all persons of ages 18 through 59 are asked to volunteer to give a pint of blood.

For those who have not already signed a pledge card, the convenient form below may be used to pledge a pint of blood. Just sign and indicate the preferred hour between 11:00 A. M. and 5:00 P. M., and mail or hand to H. A. Gurney or Newton Jennings, Appomattox, Va.

I am willing to donate a pint of blood, at Liberty Baptist Church, on Dec. 16, at .....(hour)

.....(signature)

Town Budget Comes Up At Next Meeting

Mayor C. T. Moses, Jr., today issued his weekly news release as follows:

"To the citizens of the Town of Appomattox:

"The Christmas Season is approaching and I am pleading with all of you fine people to make a special effort to help us clean the streets and sidewalks again. The splendid cooperation and assistance that everyone has rendered is greatly appreciated and I promise you it will be long remembered by the Mayor and all the Town officials.

"I hope that everyone will give our Town Officer the continued cooperation which you have shown and help promote our safety campaign in every way you can. If at any time you need Mr. Strode Burks' assistance, please feel free to call on him for he is ready and willing to help you at all times.

"On Monday, Dec. 16, the Town Council will hold its regular monthly meeting. This will be one of the most important meetings, for the budget for the coming year will be presented and all additions or deletions will be made and then it will be passed and adopted.

"This is an open meeting, and all interested persons are welcome to attend.

"During the past few years the citizens of Appomattox have been making some personal contributions to our Volunteer Fire Co. I just hope that everyone will bear this in mind and try to make a contribution again this year. We are very fortunate in having the most loyal and efficient fire company in the state. Their treasury is rather low at this time, so let's all show them our appreciation and make a contribution whether it be small or large. Mr. E. T. Mitchell has been making a personal canvess here in the past. In order to save time, please send your contribution to E. T. Mitchell and he in turn will turn it over to our fire chief, W. E. Hancock.

"Remember, let's all do our best to make Appomattox shine during the Christmas Season.

Sincerely,
C. T. Moses, Jr."

CARTER TO HEAD HOSPITAL ADVISORY BODY

O. P. Carter, of Lovingston was elected chairman of the Area Advisory Council for Lynchburg General Hospital at a recent organization meeting.

Members of the council are hospital representatives in their own counties. Carter said that local people should contact them concerning Lynchburg General rates, facilities and accomodations.

The council also made plans to provide for visitation in the spring by hospital personnel to various high schools in the area, in connection with Career Week events.

Included as members of the council for Appomattox County are: Mr. Otha Martin, Jr., Route 4, Appomattox; Mrs. Ella S. Anderson and Mrs. J. W. Flood, Appomattox.

Brod Pack Wins Rod and Reel In Wildlife Contest

By Jack Tibbs, F. F. A. Reporter

Brod Pack, a member of the local F. F. A. Chapter was presented a fishing rod and reel for his outstanding achievements in Wildlife conservation and improvement. The rod and reel was donated by Bob Alford, of the Western Auto Company and was presented by Mr. James Redding, local insurance agent and member of Appomattox Jaycees.

To win this contest, Brod planted game patches and some pine seedlings for protection and cover. He also built boxes for ducks and squirrels, cut down brush for rabbits and established feeding stations for all types of wildlife. The contest ran from last spring until the middle of September. It was co-sponsored by the F. F. A. and local Jaycees.

Other contestants entering this contest were Kinckle Martin,second, Tommy Drinkard, third, and Dennis Terrence, fourth.

Chicago, Ill.- Dec. 4.- U. S. Congressman Watkins M. Abbitt, from Appomattox County, Va., was named one of eight national winners in the 4-H alumni recognition program at the National 4-H Club Congress here today.

A member of Congress since 1948, and before that commonwealth attorney for Appomattox County, he is a former 4-H Club member, and has shown a continuing interest in the program. In the four years he was a 4-H'er, he conducted poultry as his project, and was one of the first in the area to begin using recommended practices. He was the first president of the Appomattox County 4-H Clubs.

In their recommendation of him for the national 4-H recognition, Virginia 4-H officials pointed out that: "He is most alert to the needs of rural people and is responsive to the needs of the nation. Legislation affecting many areas of interest has received his support and attention.

"He has participated in and given freely of his time to 4-H events . . . He looks forward each year to the National 4-H Conference in Washington, and escorts the Virginia delegation to the House of Representatives, the Senate, and other points of interest, and explains in detail the processes of the government. He advocates membership in 4-H Clubs and feels that the training received is beneficial to the development of an appreciation of citizenship responsibilities."

Several Virginians have received national recognition here this week. They include: Janet Lee Cofer and Vivian Spradlin, both of Bedford County, who received $400 college scholarships in the canning and garden contests, respectively; Joan Gooding, winner of the 4-H Congress trip in home beautification; David C. Johnson, Prince William, $400 scholarship, entomology; David Birdsall, Gloucester, national forestry winner of the congress trip; and Ann Hensel, Augusta, $400 scholarship, home improvement. Dr. W. E. Skelton, state 4-H agent at VPI, says one state's share on a pro-rata basis, would be about three. . .

The Virginia delegation, consisting of 17 club members and several adult leaders, will leave here en route home Friday morning.

. . . . Rep. Watkins M. Abbitt

Fire Warden Here Retires

Mr. Jesse L. Torrence, Chief Forest Warden of Appomattox County since 1948, has resigned, effective December 1, 1957. Mr. Torrence has done an outstanding work in fire prevention, greatly reducing the number of fires and acres burned.

The Division of Forestry has expressed its appreciation for his outstanding accomplishments.

Mr. David M. Smith, of Appomattox County, will succeed Mr. Torrence as Chief Forest Warden. He asks the cooperation of all citizens of the county and asks them not to hesitate to call on him any time he can be of service.

JUNIOR WOMAN'S CLUB

Mr. Daniel Le Roux, of Pretoria, South Africa, presented a program for the November 26 meeting of the Appomattox Junior Woman's Club. Mr. Le Roux showed a number of slides, taken while doing missionary work in his native country. Preceeding the showing of the slides he related some of the history of South Africa and its people.

After the program a short business session was held, with Mrs. Dorothy Coleman, president, presiding.

Club members voted to collect lens and frames of discarded eye glasses, along with scraps of gold and silver. These will be made into new glasses and distributed to persons who need glasses but cannot pay for them.

Mrs. Barbara Cawthorne presented some of the highlights of the Woman's Club Forum, held in Richmond on November 7. Mrs. Peggy Marshall accompanied Mrs. Cawthorne as delegates from the Junior Woman's Club.

Mrs. Foster Reynolds and Mrs. Betty Petty, of Red House, and Miss Betty Mitchell, of Appomattox were elected into club membership.

Turkey acts to reduce prices and increase supplies.